




Interview Summary	Application No. 10/046,864	Applicant(s) TEIG ET AL.	
	Examiner Sun J Lin	Art Unit 2825	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 13 August 2004.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: All independent claims.

Identification of prior art discussed: U.S. Patent No. 6,295,634 to Matsumoto and U.S. Patent 5,587,923 to Wang.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant will submit an amendment to amend all independent claims to include the additional limitations: (1) each subregion includes only one contact point (2) each contact point is located at the same location in each subregion (3) at least two routes connecting the same number of contact points to be considered. Notice that the suggested amendment is subject to client's approval.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.


ANNETTE M. THOMPSON
PRIMARY EXAMINER

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.


Examiner's signature, if required